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What: 57th Dixie National Livestock Show and Rodeo

When: Wednesday, February 16

Where: Mississippi State Fairgrounds

Schedule of 57th Annual Dixie National Livestock Show and Rodeo Events Taking Place Today, Wednesday, February 16

JACKSON, Miss. – Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce Andy Gipson invites everyone to attend the 57th annual Dixie National Livestock Show and Rodeo and announces the schedule of events taking place today, Wednesday, February 16, 2022. All events take place on the Mississippi State Fairgrounds.

One event starting today that the public will not want to miss is the all-new Dixie National Rodeo Days event, happening from 11:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. inside the Mississippi Coliseum. The Rodeo Days expo will include a variety of vendors to shop; the Genuine MS® Store; a mini rodeo arena for kids; FFA-made ag mechanics projects; an antique tractor show; college, university and employment recruiters; a petting zoo by McClain Resort and Safari, meet and greet opportunities with rodeo competitors; cooking contests; and other agricultural exhibits. This event is free to the public.

The Dixie National Quarter Horse Show continues today, starting at 8:00 a.m. in the Equine Center. In addition, the Dixie National Rodeo starts back tonight at 7:00 p.m. inside the Mississippi Coliseum. This evening's rodeo performance will feature musical entertainer Justin Moore.

Scheduled Activities & Events for Wednesday, February 16, 2022:

- o 11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Dixie National Corral off Midway, behind Barn 12
- o 8:00 a.m. Dixie National Quarter Horse Show Kirk Fordice Equine Center
- o 11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Dixie National Rodeo Days Trade Mart
- o 11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Dixie National Steakhouse Trade Mart
- o 7:00 p.m. Dixie National Rodeo with entertainment by Justin Moore Coliseum

Events of the 57th Dixie National Livestock Show and Rodeo run through Sunday, February 20, 2022. The Dixie National Rodeo, the largest rodeo east of the Mississippi River, continues today, Wednesday, February 16, through Saturday, February 19, inside the Mississippi Coliseum at the State Fairgrounds.

Rodeo Entertainment:

Wednesday, February 16, at 7:00 p.m. – Justin Moore - Coliseum Thursday, February 17, at 7:00 p.m. – Neal McCoy - Coliseum Friday, February 18, at 7:00 p.m. – Gary Allan - Coliseum Saturday, February 19, at 2:00 p.m. & 7:00 p.m. – Bellamy Brothers - Coliseum

To purchase tickets to the Dixie National Rodeo, visit www.ticketmaster.com/dixie-national-rodeo-tickets/artist/848320. For more information on the Dixie National Livestock Show and Rodeo, visit www.dixienational.org, follow the Dixie National Livestock Show & Rodeo page on Facebook or call 601-961-4000.

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